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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

10 Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 27, 2004, applicants submit the following response:

**Amendments to the Specification** – begin on page 2 of this paper;

**Amendments to the Claims** – begin on page 3 of this paper;

15 **Amendments to the Drawings** – attached;

**Remarks** - begin on page 12 of this paper.